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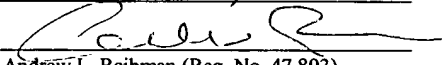
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

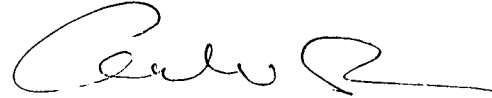
In response to the Office Action mailed April 4, 2003, in the above-identified application, Applicant submits the following.

In the Office Action, the Examiner has required restriction under 35 U.S.C. § 121 between claim group I (claims 1-34) and group II (claims 35-38). Applicant hereby elects claim group I (claims 1-34) without traverse. Applicant reserves the right to pursue the claims of group II in one or more separate related applications.

All matters raised by the Office Action having been addressed, Applicant respectfully requests early and favorable action on the merits of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: June 4, 2003

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Andrew Reibman', written over a horizontal line.

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